

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

CASE NO. 19-cr-00341

v.

JOSE M. GONZALEZ-TESTINO,

Defendant.

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UNOPPOSED MOTION TO EXONERATE BOND

Defendant, Jose Manuel Gonzalez-Testino's counsel moves for an order exonerating the bond in this matter. On July 23rd, 2019, this Honorable Court entered its Appearance Bond Order with Conditions of Release [D.E. 59] ("the Order") and the Defendant was released on bond pending sentencing. Gonzalez-Testino passed away on Wednesday March 1, 2023.¹

WHEREFORE, Counsel for the Defendant requests that this Court grant his motion to exonerate the bond.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ There is no Death Certificate on file as of now.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

Counsel for Mr. Gonzalez-Testino has conferred with AUSA Marihug Ceden0 who states that the Government does not oppose the relief sought in this motion.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY on this 15th day of March, 2023, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using CM/ECF. I also certify the foregoing document is being served this day on all counsel of record either via transmission of Notices of Electronic Filing generated by CM/ECF or in another authorized manner for those counsel or parties not authorized to receive electronically Notices of Electronic Filing.

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